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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 24, 1999, please enter the following amendments:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (three times amended) A pharmaceutical preparation which provides a dosage form of Tamoxifen, wherein the dosage form comprises at least 1.5 g/ml of Tamoxifen Citrate, in the absence of a complexing agent, in a solution which can be administered orally and which solution comprises from about 10% to 60% by weight of a glycol.

2. (three times amended) A pharmaceutical preparation according to claim 1, wherein the solution comprises a solvent comprising the following components: (a) from about 10% to 20% by weight of ethanol; (b) from about 10% to 60% by weight of glycol; and (c) water [(in original)] in a volume percentage adding up to 100% by volume.

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